## **Proposition 84 Statewide Park Program – Round One**



City of Rancho Cucamonga

\$3.941.136

Southwest Cucamonga Park

This project will create the new Southwest Cucamonga Park in the City of Rancho Cucamonga through development of a 3.36 acre parcel to feature a new outdoor fitness equipment area, running and walking trail, playground and water spray area, picnic area, multi-purpose field, skate spot, basketball court, restroom, parking lot, community art and landscaping.

Through community based planning meetings, youth, seniors, and families selected these features. Additional design ideas from residents to be included in the project are:

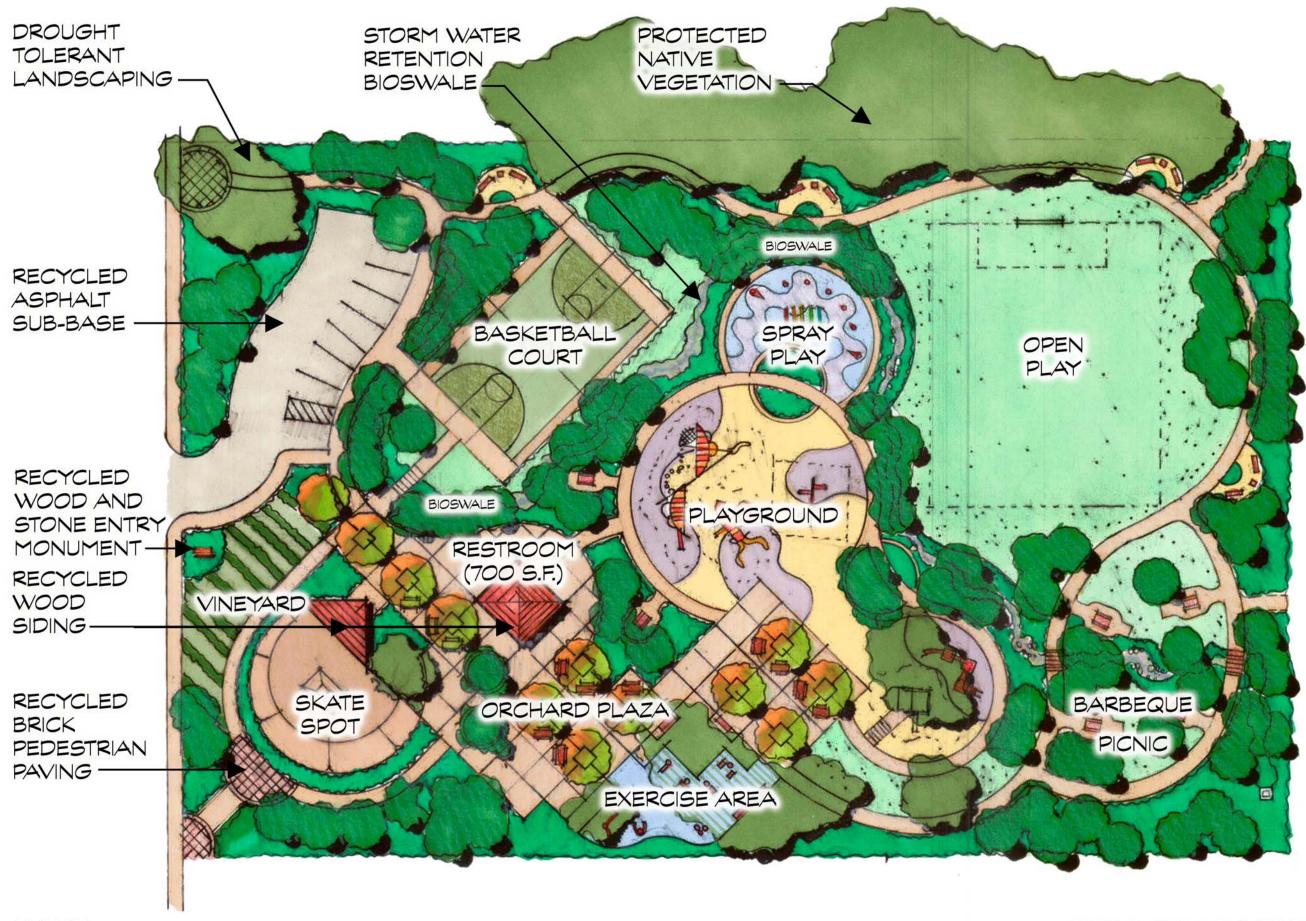
- Create a vineyard at the street entry as a tribute to community's heritage, place
  playground and spray areas in center of park, with the exercise area under the
  existing tree shade and in view of the playground area. Place skate spot and
  basketball court near the street and parking, and open multi-purpose play field at
  rear corner of park for least impact of park neighbors, and place the BBQ/picnic
  area in the opposite rear corner.
- Include a soft surface for playground, post park rules and create open visibility for safety, and add safety lighting.
- For park beautification, design for mountain vistas with seating facing mountain, create an orchard plaza, perennial flowering plants, and a water feature. The orchard plaza will include a community art project using project site materials such as bricks, rocks, and old wood.
- 100 youth will create the community art project, and 70-100 resident volunteers will landscape the park including design and planting of flower beds.

The project will include these sustainable techniques:

- State of the art irrigation system with rain shutoff, soil moisture meter, anti drain valves, drip system.
- Use permeable pavement and decomposed granite.
- 10% recycled materials will be used to construct park.
- Use drought tolerant, non-invasive, native plants.
- Use bio-swales, planter areas, tree wells, canopy trees, preserve existing trees, use locally sourced or certified wood products, and onsite separation and recycling of construction waste.

The park will be open daily from dawn to dusk. No entrance or membership fees will be charged.





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